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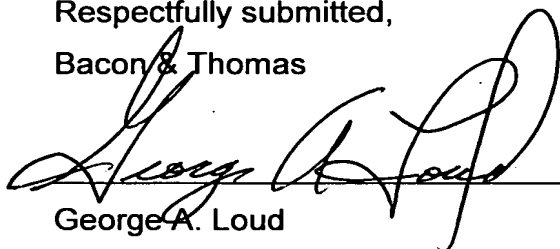
Please substitute the attached "Replacement Sheet" for Fig. 4 for the original Fig. 4.

## REMARKS

The present amendments serve to correct errors, to eliminate multiple dependency and to otherwise place the claims in better English form. Additionally, one (1) replacement sheet for drawing Fig. 4 is submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,  
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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "George A. Loud", is written over a horizontal line.

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